

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-26. Canceled.

27. (Previously Presented) A method for providing a certain quality of service to a user-device in a mobile telecommunication system, which system comprises different coverage areas, and a plurality of user-devices each linked to a user-register, which method comprises the steps of:

assigning one or more priority-groups to a user-register,

providing a number of priority-tables, each associated with one or several coverage areas of the system,

providing said priority-tables with one or several priority-levels, where each priority-level is assigned one or several priority-groups,

providing said priority-tables with an area-identifier that associates the priority-table with a coverage area,

retrieving the present coverage area for said user-device,

identifying a priority-table by matching the present coverage area for the user-device with the coverage areas associated with the priority-tables by the area-identifier,

depending on a possible match of the priority-groups defined in the user-register and the priority-groups assigned to the priority-levels in the priority-table, the quality of service associated with a priority-level is assigned to the user-device.

28. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 27, comprising the further step of linking the user-register to a user subscription within the telecommunication system, which subscription in turn is linked to a user-device.

29. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 27, comprising the further steps of:

distributing the user-register to the user-device, and/or predefining the user-register in the user-device, and,

distributing the priority-table to the user-device and/or predefining the priority-table in the user-device.

30. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 27, wherein said area-identifier is associated with a covering area corresponding to one of: a Location Area Identification (LAI), a Routing Area Identification (RAI), a Cell Identity (CI), a Cell Global Identification (CGI) and/or corresponding to a RNC Identifier (RNC-Id) or a Service Area Identifier (SAI).

31. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 29, wherein said match is performed within the user-device.

32. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 31, comprising an additional step in that the user-device determines one-sided limitations on the quality of service.

33. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 32, wherein the user-device determines whether it is allowed to establish a traffic channel.

34. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 27, comprising the further step of altering the quality of service in a certain area by amending an existing user-register.

35. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 27, comprising the further step of altering the quality of service in a certain area by amending an existing priority-table.

36. (Previously Presented) A mobile telecommunication system, wherein a certain quality of service is provided to a user-device within the system, which system comprises different coverage areas, and a plurality of user-devices each linked to a user-register, which system comprises:

a user-register assigned with one or more priority-groups,

a number of priority-tables, each associated with one or several coverage areas of the system, and provided with one or several priority-levels each assigned to one or several priority-groups and an area-identifier that associates the priority-table with a coverage area,

means for retrieving the present coverage area for said user-device,

means for identifying a priority-table by matching the present coverage area for the user-device with the coverage areas associated with the priority-tables by the area-identifier, and

means for matching the priority-groups defined in the user-register and the priority-groups assigned to the priority-levels in the priority-table, and depending on a possible match assigning the quality of service associated with a priority-level to the user-device.

37. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 36, wherein the user-register is linked to a user subscription within the telecommunication system, which subscription in turn is linked to a user-device.

38. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 36, wherein the user-device comprises the user-register and the priority-table.

39. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 36, wherein said area-identifier is associated with a covering area corresponding to one of: a Location Area Identification (LAI), a Routing Area Identification (RAI), a Cell Identity (CI), a Cell Global Identification (CGI) and/or corresponding to a RNC Identifier (RNC-Id) or a Service Area Identifier (SAI).

40. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 38, wherein said user device is arranged to perform said matching.

41. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 40, wherein the user-device is arranged to determine one-sided limitations on the quality of service.

42. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 41, wherein the user-device is arranged to determine whether it is allowed to establish a traffic channel.

43. (Previously Presented) A mobile telecommunication system, wherein a certain quality of service is provided by at least one of a core network (CN) or a radio network controller (RNC) to a user-device within the system, which system comprises different coverage areas, and a plurality of user-devices each linked to a user-register, which system comprises:

a user-register assigned with one or more priority-groups,
a number of priority-tables, each associated with one or several coverage areas of the system, and provided with one or several priority-levels each assigned to one or several priority-groups and an area-identifier that associates the priority-table with a coverage area,
wherein at least one of said core network, said radio network controller, or said user-device is configured to:

retrieve the present coverage area for said user-device,
identify a priority-table by matching the present coverage area for the user-device with the coverage areas associated with the priority-tables by the area-identifier, and
match the priority-groups defined in the user-register and the priority-groups assigned to the priority-levels in the priority-table, and if there is a match, assign the quality of service associated with a priority-level to the user-device.

44. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 43, wherein the user-register is linked to a user subscription within the telecommunication system, which subscription in turn is linked to a user-device.

45. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 43, wherein the user-device comprises the user-register and the priority-table.

46. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 43, wherein said area-identifier is associated with a covering area corresponding to one of: a Location Area Identification (LAI), a Routing Area Identification (RAI), a Cell Identity (CI), a Cell Global Identification (CGI) and/or corresponding to a RNC Identifier (RNC-Id) or a Service Area Identifier (SAI).

47. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 45, wherein said user device is arranged to perform said matching.

~~49~~48. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim 47, wherein the user-device is arranged to determine one-sided limitations on the quality of service.

~~50~~49. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim-~~49~~48, wherein the user-device is arranged to determine whether it is allowed to establish a traffic channel.